SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The Old Waltz.

Walking slowly down the street, grown old and gray and sau, And somehow beyond the reach of things with power to make me glad, I came across some children dancing gafly

to an air Flayed by an old hand-organ, and lo! the street grew fair.

Fair with lights and flowers and a stretch of polished floor,
Adown which you and I were lightly,
swiftly floating as of yore
While from the organ sounded the waitz
we danced together
In that old time when hearts and feet
were light as any feather.

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Just the same, the perfume of the red Just the same, the perfume of the red roze at your breast;
Just the same, the warm touch of your shoulder 'gainst me pressed;
And Just the same—Ah, yes!- there throbbed in me once again.
The old-time foolish longing, the old-time foolish pain.

And all the weary, dreary years, each with its biting frost,
Quick faded into nothing, all their sad-

ness lost; While in their stead a young man stoad, still dreaming of the girl.

He held in his arms so long ago, in the
sweet old waltz's whirl.

Old Waltz! Dear Waltz! played along Cld Waltz! Dear Waltz! played alone our city ways.

Still can you take us gray-heads back to the joys of other days;
So deep I drink to your melody, that helds in tuneful rime
The old loves and old dreams of lost Youth's happy time!

—New York Tribune.

Mr. Harrison's Story.

"Thirteen original short stories," says the publisher, "will be found in the June number of Smart Set. One in particular, "The Ending of the Play," is so absorbing in its diamatic interest and se

sorbing in its diamnitic interest and so startling in its denoument that it will cause no slight discussion. Moreover, it introduces a new author to the public, Henry Sydnor Harrison."

The publisher is slightly in error, for Mr. Harrison has already been most favorably introduced to the Richmond public through the medium of other magazines besides the "Smart Set." Possibly he has not hitherto shown such a strong and distinctive touch as that which renders "The Ending of the Play," remarkably forecful.

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Mr. Harrison's work as a literary critic and author identifies him with Richmond and his many friends here feel a lively interest in his work and much gratification at his success. remarkably forceful.

At the Woman's Club.

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Miss Maria Blair gave a delightful talk at the Woman's Club last afternoon on the "Works of George Frederick Watts," whose recent death has turned popular attention to the merit of his achievements in the world of art.

Miss Blair is especially fitted by her keen perceptions and broad art education to do full justice to such a subject and her lecture for that reason proved specially interesting.

A large number of guests and members were present. Doors and windows were thrown wide open and the fragrance of flowers was everywhere perceptible. Light refreshments were served and the social features of the afternoon were unusually charming. unusually charming.

Hebrew Memorial.

The Hebrew Memorial Association will hold its annual memorial services at 6 P. M. Wednesday at the Hebrew Ceme-Flowers may be sent to Miss Isoline Moses at No. 1010 Park Avenue for deco-

Moses at No. 1010 Park Avenue for decoration purposes.

Mr. John F. Eggleston, of Richmond, introduced by Mr. Joseph Levy, will deliver the annual address. The Rev. Dr. E. N. Calisch will make the opening and closing prayer. The music will be directed by Professor Reinhardt, who will have with him Beth Ahabah choir.

Company F and Company B will join the procession to the cemetery. There will be excellent car service from 4 to 8 on the Chestnut Hill line for all who wish to join in the memorial services, which the other Confederate organizations are invited to attend. invited to attend.

Duncan-Richardson.

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Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Ethelyn Richardson, daughter of former Mayor and Mrs. John Wesley Richardson, of Hampton, Va., to Mr. Andrew Wallace Duncan, son of Mr. William Graham Duncan, of Greenville, Kentucky, and secretary and treasurer of the Duncan coal mines at Laterne, and of the Graham mines of Greenville, of which his father is president. The wedding will be celebrated in Many State in Many State Charach Wass State in Many State in Ma

The wedding will be celebrated in Hampton Baptist Church, May 31st, at 529 o'clock in the afternoon, the Rev. Dr. E. Pendleton Jones officiating.

Miss Annie Isabel Richardson will be maid of honor Miss Emma Richardson, of Hampton; Miss Sallie Lee Coke, of Norfolk; Miss Blanche Webb, of Newport News; Miss Katle Belle Duncan, of Greenville, Ky.; Miss Sallie Bird Garnett and Miss Katherine Whiting, of Hampton, will be bridesmalds. The maid of honor and the bridesmalds will wear

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Perduo College, Indiana, will be best man, and the other attendants Messrs. Houston Frace, Hamilton Richardson, of Hampton; George T. Abbitt, of Newport News, Richard Hewitt, of Louisville, Kfy.; Samuel R. Additon and W. W. Richardson, brother of the bride. Personal Mention.

family are occupying Greenwood cottage at Virginia Beach for several weeks.

At the May meeting of the Betty Washington Lewis Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, in Fredericksburg, Va., the following resolutions were adopted: That a committee be appointed from this chapter to confer with the Mayor and to request alm to call a mass-meeting of the Council and representative citizens of Fredericksburg that immediate action be taken to arge the proper authorities to endorse the action of the Daughters of the American Revolution in their effort to have the remains of John Paul Jones interred in our National Cometery, or some other spot in Fredericksburg. A committee was appointed to immediately takes action in arousing interest.

The wedding of Miss Kate Crump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Crump, of Norsistown, Tenn., to Mr. Daniel P. Sigourney, of this city, took place Wednesday afternoon in the Baptist Church at Morristown, the Rev. Dr. Folk, of Nashville, Tenn., officiating. The bride is a popular and accomplished Young lady.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Warwick, Jr., who have been guests at "Campfield," Mr. Warwick's home near Richmond, will return to Norfolk this week.

Miss Lucile Grant Dent, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. John Dent, and cousin of the Princess Cantacuzene of Russia, will be married to-day to Lleutenau Pranklin T. Bert, of the Nineteenth Infan-try, U. S. A., in Holy Name Cathedrai, Chicago, Ill.

Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. J. N. Cullingworth and Miss Cullingworth are spending a short time at Mary Baldwin Seminary, Staunton.

The Norfolk Virginian-Polit of Sunday says: Mr. and Mrs. W. Dorsey Pender gave a very attractive supper Friday evening at the Country Club complimentary to Miss Research Gordon, of Richmond. The table was decorated in spring flowers and their guests were Miss Gordon, Miss Estzabeth Martin, Miss Nelly

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

No. 496.

THE YELLOW VIOLET.

By WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT.

Other selections from this writer, his portrait, autograph and biographical sketch

HEN beechen buds begin to swell, And woods the bluebird's warble know, The yellow violet's modest bell Peeps from the last year's leaves below.

Ere russet fields their green resume, Sweet flower, I love, in forest bare, To meet thee, when thy faint perfume Alone is in the virgin-air.

Of all her train, the hands of Spring First plant thee in the watery mould, And I have seen thee blossoming Besides the snow-bank's edges cold.

Thy parent sun, who bade thee view Pale skies, and chilling moisture sip, Has bathed thee in his own bright hue, And streaked with jet thy glowing lip.

Yet slight thy form, and low thy seat, And earthward bent thy gentle eye, Unapt the passing view to meet When loftier flowers are flaunting night

Oft, in the sunless April day, Thy early smile has stayed my walk: But 'midst the gorgeous blooms of May, I passed thee on thy humble stalk.

So they, who climb to wealth, forget The friends in darker fortunes tried. I copied them-but I regret That I should ape the ways of pride.

And when again the genial hour Awakes the painted tribes of light, I'll not o'erlook the modest flower That made the woods of April bright.

This series began in The Times-Disparch Sunday, October 11, 1903. One is published each day

white point d'esprit over pink taffeta,

white point desprit over pain access, and carry plak roses.

The bride will be given away by her father, and the wedding chorus from Lohengrin will be sung by the choir.

Mr. William Graham Duncan, Jr., of Perdue College, Indiana, will be best

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Seay have returned from their wedding trip, as their friends are pleased to note.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Elchelberger and family are occupying Greenwood cottage at Virginia Beach for several weeks.

Mrs. Heien Cecil Stanford is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Cecil, in Roan-oke, Va.

Little, Mr. Cadwallader Collins, Mr. Edward Brockenbrough and Mr. Goldsborough Sorpell.

Miss Gordon returned to Richmond Saturday, and Mrs. Gaston Myers, of North Carolina, arrived then to be the guests of her parents, Colonel and Mrs. John W. Gordon.

Gordon.

Mr. T. K. Sands and family expect to spend the summer in Ashland, Va.

Mr. Carroll Howell, of the Medical College of Virginia, has left for his home in Fredericksburg, Va.

Miss Napule Trayls, of New London.

Miss Nannie Travis, of New London, Va., is spending several weeks with friends in Richmond.

The marriage of Miss Estelle Randolph Hughes, daughter of the lake Hugh Henry Hughes, of Lynchburg, Va., to Dr. Compton Ritely, of Baltimore, son or Colonel and Mrs. J. J. Riely, of Summit Point, W. Va., will take place June 6th.

Miss Mary Forbes, of Virginia, who has been the guest of friends in Baltimore, will visit Atlantic City this summer.

Mr. Dayld, Hopkins, Raision, of the

Mr. David Hopkins Raiston, of the Union Theological Seminary, is visiting his home in Harrisonburg, Va., before going to West Virginia.

Mrs. Pondleton Boatwright has left for her home in Portsmouth, Va., after a visit to friends in Richmond.

Mrs. A. A. McCullough, of Norfolk, is expected in Richmond this week on a visit to friends. . . .

Mrs. John N. Greene, of Norfolk, i

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spending a few days with Mrs. Lucy Meade in this city.

Mrs. In wrence T. Atkinson has returned to her home in Norfolk, after a pleasant visit to friends in Richmond.

Mr. J. Lindsay Ferguson is with friends a Danville for a few days. Miss Mary Buford expects to leave this week for Norfolk to visit Mrs. Junius Lynch, in Bute Street.

Mrs. Edward S. Baker and little son, Edward, have returned after a visit to relatives in Staunton.

Messrs. G. G. Minor and R. L. Gordon are the kuests of the Misses Talbott, at "Midlothian, near Waynesboro.

Mr. A. C. Southall, of Accomac county, is visiting relatives in Richmond.

Mr. R. B. Pegram is spending a few days in Norfolk. Mrs. R. A. Morrissette is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilkins at their home in Rivermont, Lynchburg

Miss Julia Tyler is the guest of Mrs. Robert M. Hughes, on Colonial Avenue, Norfolk,

Mr. L. D. Smith, of Rochester, N. Y., who is a student at the University College of Medicine, is spending a few days with his classmate, Mr. Thomas H. Kinney, in Lynchburg.

Mrs. John De Treville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Hunter, at Clifton Avenue and Eighth Street, Baltimore.

Dr. H. W. Bassett has returned to his home after a two weeks stay at the Memorial Hospital, and expects to be able to see his friends soon. Mrs. John E. Etchinson, Jr., is at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Mrs. John Welsh and daughter expect to leave this week to visit relatives in Ellis-ville, Va.

Mrs. J. D. Horsley and Miss Molly Early have returned to Lynchburg, after attending the entertainments given to the Colonial Dames and Society of the Cincinnati during the past week. Mrs. Allen Langhorne still remains in the city.

Miss Maud Pamplin, of Radford, is vis-iting friends and relatives in Richmond.

Miss Rosenbaum, of Richmond, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Guggenhelmer, on Washington Street, Lynchburg. Mrs. John A. Gregory, of Lynchburg, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Henry Moncure has returned to her home in Louisa from a visit to Rich-mond. She was accompanied by her nicce, Miss Withers Wright, of this city.

An important meeting of the board of managers of the Virginia Home for Incurables is called for Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Peyton R. Carrington, No. 715 West Grace Street.

Mrs. Harry Affelder and Mrs. Charlie O'Brian, of Baltimore, are visiting Mrs. Robert Schaefer, No. 315 Harrison Street.

JUST ONE LANGUAGE.

Five Italians Are Arrested for Trespass-Interpreter Needed.

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Antonic Senanio, Giaconic Senanio, Lorino Gaspari, Correo Giovanni and Antenic Giordano were arrested yesterday morning by the Chesapeake and Ohio detective for trespassing upon property of the railroad.

The men are confined in the Henrico County jail and will be given a hearing this mornins. None of them speak English, French, Corman, Russian, Japanese, Greek or Latin, and without the aid of an interpreter they are at the mercy of most anyone—or rather, 'most anyone—is the right mercy, within a few hours after being confined in the jail they had succeeded in attracting the attention of the entire imprisoned band, and eyery prisoner gathering around the quintette to listen to the jubberings. In the afternoon an interpreter was found, and according to this person the five are respectable Italians. A letter was written to New York, where friends are said to be, asking for money.

JOHNSON HAS COUNSEL.

Negro Charged With Assault on Ruth Pinchbeck Employs Lawyer

Ruth Pinchbeck Employs Lawyer
Upon the charge of committing criminal
assault upon little Ruth Pinchbeck, Austin Johnson, a negro man, about thirty
years of age, now confined in the Henrico county fall, will be given a hearing
on the 23 before Justice of the Peace J.
T. Lewis. The date for the trial was
listed yesterday morning.
Johnson has' employed Mr. Edgar English to defend him, He will, it is said,
attempt to prove an alibi, and the officers who have been working on the case
assert that they will be able to meet this
contention with facts sufficient to warrant a conviction. Constable G. R.
Crowder has been diligently at work on
the case, and has, so it is confidently
asserted, woven an almost complete chain
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Ruth Pinchbecg that Johnson is the man
who committed the heinous crime.

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LANGUISH IN JAIL

One Charged With Grand Larceny and the Other With Being Hotel Beat.

BOA-CONSTRICTOR IN N. Y.

Boys Found Snake Asleep in Gutter and Slew It With Stones.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEW YORK, May 15.—The police stations of the city are being singularly hon-ored of late. At present two different stations are sheltering members of the nobility. One of the alleged counts is being held for trial on the charge of being a hotel beat, while the other was captured red handed in the act of grand larceny. Evidently the early days of the month of May are not what might be called lucky for those of the Euro-pean peerage who are in this country in

be called lucky for those of the European pecang who are in this country in search of heiresses.

The count, who is held for a hotel beat, was putting up at a first-class hotel without knowing where the price of his keep was to come from, in the hope that he would thus first one of the charming American girls, who have money to exclantge for the privilege of occaring a title. Up to the time of his arrest he had been insuccessful in making the acqualitance of the much-desired lady. With the gentleman accused of larceny it was something different—if one is to believe him.

He had met the heiress, in Europe, and sho was charmed with him, and he-well, he thought her "deliclous!" He had come to this side to press his suit and felt reasonably confident that his quest would be honored with success. But he had to present the fady with a trifle just to prove that he wasn't broke, and in an unlucky moment he attempted to purion a diamond brodch under the eyes of the clerks of a fashlonable jewelry establishment. Now he repines in jail, and tells an anxious world that he has nothing to live for. He has lost honor, hope and—the girl.

West End Avenue, by the God of

live for. He has lost honor, hope and—the girl.

West End Avenue, by the God of chance, is one of the fushionable and exclusive residence streets in the city. It would then seem to follow that the children of that thoroughfare should be reasonably good boys and girls; that is, they should have grown up as fair youngsters, linasmuch as they had the advantage of careful training. But not so, in the eyes of a good many residents of that street, who, by the way, have no children of their own, the boys and girls who constitute the West End Avenue "gang," are about the worst ever. Major-General Egan, U. S. A., retired, has a particular dislike for the boys of the avenue and he characterizes them as young rowdies. The Major even sought to have the children of the family next door arrested for sitting on their own stoop and talking louder than the Major thought proper. The enmity of the children and the Major has reached that point where he is greeted with the cry of "Embalmed Beef" whenever he ventures forth. The Major's opinion of the boys is best expressed in his own words: "Without exception they are the worst boys in the world. They fill the streets like a lot of flowling wolves, making life miserable for everyone forced to submit to the torture. I have never met such a lot of bolsterous, inconsiderate boys, as I have in 'West End Avenue.'"

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Evidently the selling of imitation diamonds, the sort that "are as hard as the real and aefy experts," is not quite what is cracked up to be. A few years ago the rumor that imitation stones could be made that would defy any but the best experts, was pretty generally circulated and almost as generally believed. Following this came the announcement of wonderful "ishs skin" pearls, that were supposed to be in some respects even better than the real article. The whole story was circulated as the forerunner of an immense chain of stores that were immediately established for the sale of imitation diamonds and "ishs skin" pearls.

As a matter of fact, there is no such thing as a fish skin pearl, and the imitations that are sold are the good old variety of glass, except that they are manufactured with a trifle more care than in the past. The people who were back of the scheme were clever advertisors, and the business of dealing in imitation gems grew to enormous proportions. Now the reaction has set in, and where goods used to sell for \$1 to \$10, they are being offered in imitation stones, who was well known as the "White Diamond King," is practically bankrupt.

cally bankrupt. It is said that the man has made sev-



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crai fortunes in this business, only to lose them within the last few months through the amail amount of sales and the enormous expenses of keeping up his long chain of stores throughout the country, if reports be true, he owes more than \$30,000. With the consent of all but one of his creditors, he has taken the major portion of his assets to Europe, where he will try the imitation stone bus-

iness on the Europeans. A rather improbable sort of a "snake story" was unfolded in the West Thirtieth Police Station the other evening, when a crowd of boys entered with a gunny sack, which, when emptied on the floor, displayed a twelve-foot boa constrictor. For a few minutes the boys had the station to themselves, but when they assured the officers on duty that the snake was dead, they had a goodly audience and plenty of questions to answer.

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The boys said they found the boa asleep in the gutter of Fifth Avenue and had killed it with stones and sticks. As there were no less than a score of the lads and they all stuck to the story, there seemed nothing to do but to believe them. But how the snake got into Fifth Avenue and how it permitted itself to be killed by a crowd of boys with nothing more than stones, is still a mystery, and it seems likely that it will continue to remain such.

LOCKED 5 DAYS IN CAR WITHOUT FOOD OR DRINK

Negroes, When Released, Made Dash for Horse Troughs and Mud Puddles. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

General to The Times-Dispatch)

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 15.-Ellas

Gambele, William McCail, Matthew Butler, H. Sever, Richard Washington and
Joseph Dengler (colored) of Charleston,

W. W. Wash (Colored) of Charleston, Joseph Dengler (colored) of Charleston, W. Va., were found locked in a freight car in the Pennsylvania Railroad yards, Thirty-second and Markot Streets, here to-day, According to their statements, they have been working on the railroad loading cars, when, after a hard day's work, they crawled in the car to rest and foll asleep, and on awakening found like doors locked and the car in motion, They remained prisoners for five days without food and water, and were wellingh exhausted when a detective heard knocks on the inside and opened the door. He placed them under arrest. On the way to the station house they made mad rushes for horse troughs and mud puddles, their thirst was so great. After eating ravenously of what was placed before them they were discharged. They said they were whiling to work their passing the control of the station.



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